

YOU CAN'T COMPETE IN BUSINESS TODAY WITH YESTERDAY'S METHODS IF YOU WANT TO BE IN BUSINESS TOMORROW.—Martin Vanbee

This Week

Paragraphs of the Week

The 2,472 foot \$970,000 Deer Isle-Sedgwick bridge will be opened to traffic June 19. Governor Barrows will be the first person to officially cross Maine's longest suspension bridge.

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THIRTY-SEVEN-POINT PUPILS IN GRAMMAR SCHOOL

The following is a list of the seven-point pupils in the Bethel Grammar School:

Grade V—Donald Brooks, Carolyn Bryant, Ruth Garber, John Greenleaf, Betty Marshall, Lendall Nevens, Betty Smith, Betty Ward, Carl Wight.

Grade VI—Corinne Boyker, Barbara Brown, Richard Bryant, Priscilla Carver, Mary Lou Chapman, Harold Conner, Patrick O'Brien, Betty Warren.

Grade VII—Lillian Coburn, Beatrice Forbes, Peggy Hanscom, Edward Little Jr., Marilyn Marshall, Alice Pierce, Marcia Smith.

Grade VIII—Alice Bennett, Marion Chapman, Dora Gallant, Gordon McAlister, Barbara Poole, Carolyn Wight.

Miss Bertha Cross will accompany Mrs. William Von Zintl to Whitefield, N. H., Friday, where they have employment.

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UPTON MAN ACQUITTED OF HIT AND RUN CHARGE

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BETHEL GRAMMAR SCHOOL GRADUATION

The Grammar School graduation, held in the Congregational Church on the evening of June 8, was a most enjoyable event. The 30 members of the eighth grade, marshaled by Francis Berry, presented an inspiring picture, the boys in dark suit trousers with white shirts and the girls in white with shoulder bouquets of valley lilies and asparagus fern.

It was alleged that a car driven by Dumont sideswiped a car driven by George Brown on the Song Pond road Saturday night or early Sunday morning. It is said that the Brown car contained 10 people, five of whom testified that they read the number of the Dumont car. Witnesses for the defense were Howard Douglass, Mrs. Maude Judkins, and Stanley Carter. State's witnesses were Miss Mary Robertson, Guy Smith, Robert W. Kirk, Miss Tena Goodwin, and Mrs. Seymour Butters. The defendant was represented by Attorney Gerard S. Williams and the case was investigated by State Highway Officer John Maguire.

LOCAL POET IN HARRISON ANTHOLOGY

Gerard S. Williams of Bethel is represented in the anthology, The North America Book of Verse, which Henry Harrison, New York Poetry Publisher, is issuing. The North America Book of Verse, five-volume set of poetry which has not previously appeared in any other anthology. It is edited by 52 poets representing each of the states, the District of Columbia, Hawaii, Canada and Alaska. This collection is probably the largest poetry undertaking ever published.

BETHEL DEFEATED FIRST TIME SUNDAY

Bethel lost its first ball game by a score of 7 to 3 Sunday, when it journeyed to Roxbury. The game was featured with several heated arguments. "Wally" Morgan started on the mound for Bethel but gave way to "Slim" Keddy in the sixth.

Bethel started the scoring in the fourth with two runs in their half of the frame. Then Roxbury tied it at two all in their half. "Doc" Hood opened the fifth with his only hit of the game, a triple into deep right field and scored a few minutes later on an error by the second baseman. After this inning Bethel went down in 1, 2, 3 order until the ninth when Littlehale batted out a single to left field, then stole second, went to third on Bartlett's grounder and died there when Wentzell struck out to end the game.

In Roxbury's half of the fifth they bunched four hits to score three runs to put the game on ice. They picked up their other two runs in the sixth and eighth innings.

No member of the second grade has been tardy during the last six weeks of school.

Grade IV

Seven point pupils: Isabelle Bennett, Marilyn Boyker, Norma Hunt, Rebecca Philbrick, John Brown, Harlan Blake, John Cutler, Eugene Van.

Not absent last six weeks: John Bean, Isabelle Bennett, Harlan Blake, John Cutler, Eugene Van.

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ROXBURY ab r h po a c

Paul, cf	5	0	1	0	6	0
E. Robbins, lf	3	2	2	1	0	0
J. Canwell, 3b	5	0	1	1	0	0
C. Canwell, c	5	0	0	12	0	2
W. Robbins, 2b	5	2	2	0	6	1
E. Thomas, 1b	4	1	1	10	0	0
C. Thomas, p	2	2	1	0	2	0
Noble, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, ss	3	0	0	1	0	2
LeBlanc, rf	4	0	1	1	0	5
	37	7	9	27	10	4

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Rowe of Bethel announce the engagement of their daughter Rosalind to Franklin Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Chapman of Gilead.

Miss Rowe was graduated from Gould Academy in 1936 and from Westbrook Junior College in 1938.

She has just completed a year of graduate work there.

Mr. Chapman was graduated from Gould Academy in 1932 and from the University of Maine in 1936. He is now employed as State Milk Inspector in York and Cumberland Counties.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Two base hits: Stanley, Doyen. Three base hits: Hood, E. Robbins. Bases on balls—off: Morgan 3, Keddy 1, Thomas 1. Struck out by: Morgan 5, Thomas 11. Hits off: Morgan 7, Keddy 2, Thomas 7. Winning pitcher: Thomas. Losing pitcher: Morgan.

BETHEL BOY RECEIVES M. D. DEGREE AT B. U.

Milan A. Chapin Jr. received the degree of Doctor of Medicine, magna cum laude, at the commencement exercises of Boston University Monday.

He was graduated from Gould Academy in 1928. He graduated from Bates College in 1932, with the degree of Bachelor of Science, and was granted the degree of Ph. D. in Chemistry from Clark University in 1935. For several summers he has been affiliated with the medical staff at the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, and taught at the Bates Summer Session in 1937.

He plans to serve his internship at the C. M. G. Hospital and the Boston City Hospital.

SUPERIOR COURT IN SESSION

20 NATURALIZED

The June term of Superior Court convened at South Paris Tuesday morning, Justice George Worster presiding. It is expected that the work of the grand jury will take three days. There are many criminal cases and several appealed cases to come before this session.

Memorial services for the late Edward E. Hastings of Fryeburg were held Tuesday afternoon.

Seven women and 13 men were admitted to citizenship Wednesday, and three were continued for further study. Admitted were:

Carl Ilmari Hakala, Paris
Stanley George Bachelder, Norway

Ida Mari Woori, Paris

Violet Cecilia Allen, Mexico

William Arthur Hodges, Paris

Horton Elgin Beck, Bethel

Andrew Don, Mexico

Mildred Ellen Harlow, Mexico

Mary Clara Crawford, Mexico

Laird Alvin Ramsay, Rumford

Dorothy Safr Whynot, Ridgway

Philippe Mathias Quirion, Mexico

Alvenise Marie Metivier, Rumford

Joseph Edward Roach, Rumford

Robert Whylie Walker, Rumford

Marie Diane Yvonne Prevost, Rumford

Antonio Lavigne, Rumford

Wilfred Philip Dube, Rumford

Mrs. Regina Dionne Dufour, Mexico

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VISITORS' DAY AT BETHEL PRIMARY SCHOOL

Visitors' Day was observed at the Primary School on Thursday afternoon. The first hour was devoted to the regular school work after which there was a period of outdoor games.

Thirty-Six Awarded Pins

At the conclusion of the play period Miss Wight awarded the seven-point certificates and pins to the following pupils:

Grade I—Charlotte Stevens, Marlene Anderson, Wayne Bennett, Eugene Brown, Lorraine Swanson, Leiland Kimball, Gerald Harrington, Fred Cole.

Grade II—John Nalney, William Nalney, Rachel Brown, Eleanor Gurney, Lee Carver, Jerrold Davis, Richard Douglass, Donald Croteau, Lenard Lovejoy, Rodney Harrington, Paul Croteau, Edward Bumpus, Ruth Bumpus.

During the flood of March, 1936, the area lying directly north of the eroded bank was inundated to an average depth of about 5 feet.

To prevent the flooding of this territory the construction of a levee about 6,500 feet long and 14 feet in average height would be required.

Because the territory subject to flood damage is not intensively developed it appears that with the possible exception of cleaning up the north bank of the river, satisfactory pilot channel.

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There will be an outdoor conference meeting of the Townsend Clubs of the first Maine district at Bethaven Inn Sunday, June 18.

There will be two sessions. Speaking will begin at two o'clock in the afternoon and at seven-thirty in the evening. Speakers from National Headquarters will be present.

All Bethel Club members are requested to be present.

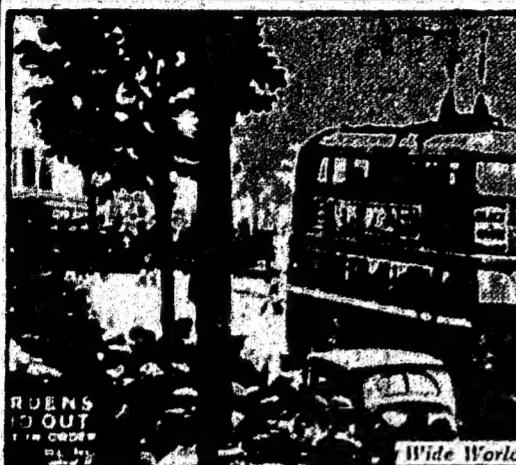
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People and Spots in the Late News



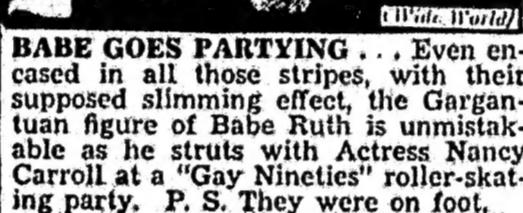
AIR RAID DEFENSE . . . Grim realism was faced in London defense "rehearsals" as eight cottages were burned to test efficiency of fire-fighting units of Air Raid Protection organization, which seeks volunteers so it can give similar demonstrations of its bomb-proof shelters.



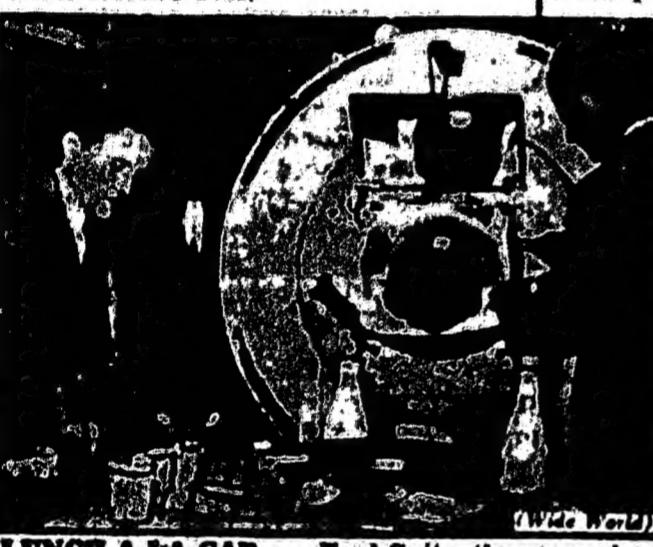
SPRING IS HERE . . . A product of years of industrial research, new Goodrich torsilastic rubber spring needing no lubrication was given first public showing in transportation area at New York World's Fair.



SHARKSKIN FOR SWIMS . . . High style on the beach or in the water is this white sharkskin "little girl" swim suit, with narrow trim of blue and white polka-dot crepe.



BABE GOES PARTYING . . . Even encased in all those stripes, with their supposed slimming effect, the Gargantuan figure of Babe Ruth is unmistakable as he struts with Actress Nancy Carroll at a "Gay Nineties" roller-skating party. P. S. They were on foot.



LUNCH A LA CAR . . . Fred Snite, the man who has lived in an "iron lung" for three years, is shown having a meal in his special trailer while en route to the shrine of Lourdes, France, to utter prayers of thankfulness for the years of life he has "borrowed".

TAX TACKS . . . Mrs. Kenneth C. Frazier, president of the National Consumers Tax Commission, marks the enrollment of NCTC's 4,500th unit—Daleville, Ala.—on the map in Chicago headquarters. The women's crusade against consumer—penalizing taxes started last August in Mankato, Minn.



Rowe Hill, Greenwood

Francis Brooks has gone to Portland to work for R. K. Hathaway on the railroad.

Miss Rosalia Palmer is working for Mrs. Stanley DeShon at Bryant Pond.

Ernest Brooks was in Gorham, N. H., Saturday.

Albert Ring was home from Bates College Tuesday and Wednesday.

Elizabeth Palmer has finished work at South Bethel and gone to Bryant Pond to work for Mrs. John J. Willard.

Mr. and Osman Palmer entertained 13 guests Saturday.

Sunday callers at N. A. Bryant's were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ring and family, East Sumner, and Mr. and Mrs. Durward Lang.

Roger Hanscom of North Newry visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanacom Sunday.

Sunday River

Charlie Frost spent Sunday at R. M. Fleet's.

Roland Fleet and family were at South Windham recently.

Callers at Roland Fleet's Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor of South Paris and Mrs. Ralph Field and daughter Isobel of Paris Hill.



Albany—Valley Road

Mrs. Annie Bumpus is confined to her bed with asthma.

Will McAllister Sr. and Clarence McAllister worked for Harry Loran Saturday.

Mrs. Annie Bumpus and son Kenneth attended the school Play Day and awarding of seven-point pins and certificates at Bethel last Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Millard Littlefield of Prince Edward's Island spent Thursday night and Friday with his father, F. R. Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolar Lafrance of Norway and George Logan called at Harlan Bumpus' Sunday afternoon.

Will McAllister Sr. worked with his horses for Warren Lapham Friday.

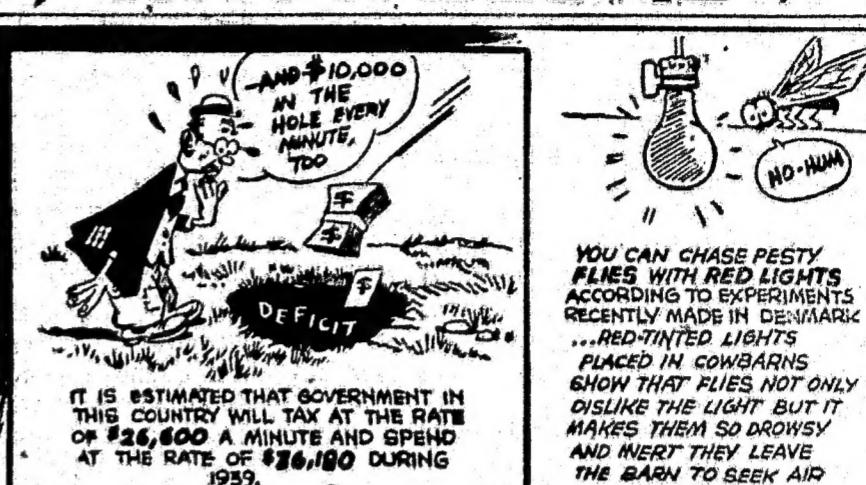
BRYANT'S MARKET

FRIDAY-SATURDAY

Boneless	WHEAT FLAKES	2 pkgs. 10c
CHUCK ROAST	lb. 25c	
Clover SLICED BACON	lb. 25c	
Boneless		
CORNED BRISKETS	lb. 21c	
Valencia ORANGES	2 doz. 39c	
Jumbo Large		
CANTALOUPE	each 15c	
Fancy Fresh		
GREEN PEAS	2 lbs. 10c	Dutch Oven 28 oz. Glass Pots
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SEEK NEW AMERICANS



No one of the forty-eight states in the Union is entirely free of aliens—even those states hundreds of miles from any port of entry to the United States. Graphically illustrated above is the alien problem of the United States—a problem that is admittedly one of the major problems to be faced in the nation's fight for democracy.

The figures above give the number of white aliens, 21 or over, according to the 1930 census. They are in effect the total number of aliens eligible for citizenship in each of the states. A long-term attack on this vital problem was recently inaugurated by the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, through its 1,500 subordinate lodges in cities, towns and villages throughout the country.

In most of these lodges, preliminary and first steps have already been taken to set the campaign in motion. The Elks campaign is based on a four-point program. It calls for a survey of the nation's aliens; a campaign to sell aliens on Americanism and American citizenship; instruction for citizenship; and an active part by the Elks in seeing that the aliens do acquire citizenship.

In each lodge there is, or will be set up a permanent naturalization committee. This committee not only guides Elks activities in naturalization, but seeks to make these activities community-wide. Such a community-wide effort is a forward step for democracy. Dr. Edward J. McCormick, grand exalted ruler of the Elks, believes.

East Bethel

Mrs. Flora Klerstead is at Bethel village assisting in the care of Fred Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Lovell were Sunday guests of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Farwell.

Mrs. Floribell Nevens and son Lendall were week-end guests at G. L. Haines'.

Miss Mary Toft and Miss Alta Brooks left Thursday afternoon for Portland. They were to leave Portland early Saturday morning for the World's Fair at New York.

Wednesday afternoon many parents and friends visited the school house where several fine exhibits were on display. The pupils served tea, sandwiches and cookies.

Promotion Day Exercises

Wednesday evening at the church occurred the promotion day exercises which were built around the Pan-American idea. Each pupil chose a country to write about and each country's flag was placed in a row across the front of the stage as the pupil told about the country chosen. Rev. M. A. Gordon offered prayer at the opening of the program and a benediction at the close. Miss Wight presented Francis Holt with a diploma from the eighth grade.

Mr. and Mrs. Estes Yates and children of Woodstock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hastings Sunday.

Sunday School was held at 9:30 Sunday morning with 16 present. It will be held at the same time the two remaining Sundays of this quarter.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Carter, formerly of Casco, have now moved to Portland and Leslie Jr. and Barbara Carter have gone home after spending a number of weeks

Hanover

O. Parker Russell left Monday for the Lahey Clinic, Boston, for treatment. Mrs. Russell accompanied him.

Miss Georgia Abbott attended the funeral services of Mrs. Florence Abbott, Rumford, Sunday.

Andrew Barlow is improving in health slowly.

Horace Morse is rebuilding his garage.

The Hanover School held a welcome roast at Horace Morse's last Thursday. A good time was reported by the children and mothers and all attending.

Mrs. Ina Horr and Norris Libby of South Windham were dinner guests at the Saunders' Friday.

Mishemok Temple held their regular meeting Friday afternoon with a very good attendance. The program on Flag Day was in charge of Alice Elliott, Blanche Trask and Edith Howe. Evergreen Temple, Bryant Pond and Walton Temple, Mexico were invited to our next meeting, June 23rd. Plans were made for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hardy were in town Sunday.

Mrs. Pauline Lovejoy has returned to her home after a recent visit in Philadelphia and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lapham were in West Paris recently.

Ernest Bennett is boarding at Frank Douglas'.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders attended a meeting of Azisco Grange, Thursday evening in company with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bennett of Bethel.

Leon Wilson is painting and making repairs on his house.

with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Trask.

Upton

Frank Allen has finished his work on Mt. Spec and is going to Errol to be caretaker at Chandler's Lodge.

Rev. and Mrs. John Manter returned home last week.

A. E. Fuller and daughter, Miss Eva Fuller, of Bath, arrived here last week to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burnham of Hopedale, Mass., spent the weekend at their cottage.

Several attended the K. of P. and Sisterhood meetings at Errol last Tuesday. C. A. Judkins and James Barnett served supper.

Several attended the dance at Magalloway Saturday evening.

Rev. John Manter and Miss Sylvia Barnett attended the Congregational Church conference at Dixfield Tuesday.

The Farm Bureau met with Mrs. H. W. Whitney at her home Tuesday. Mrs. Albertine Waite and Mrs. Lester Lane of Newry demonstrated "Everyday Desserts."

H. W. Whitney visited friends in Ridlonville Tuesday.

North Newry

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Miller of Buxton, Vt., are at H. W. Soule's camp in Grafton for a few days.

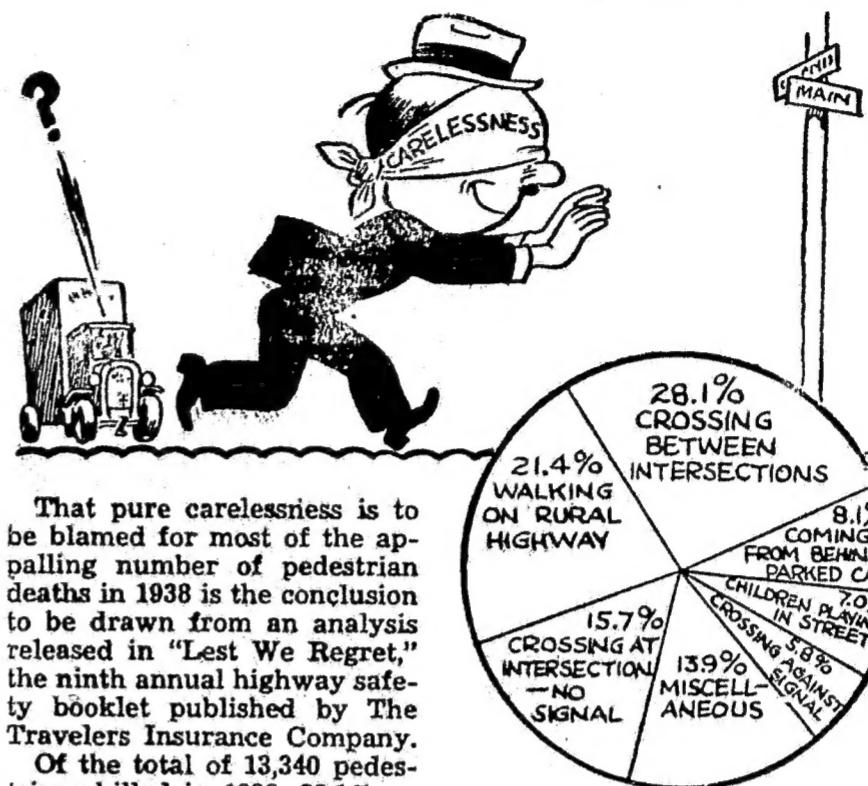
Celebrated 90th Birthday

Mrs. W. B. Wight celebrated her 90th birthday Monday, June 5th, when a surprise party was given her by her daughter, Miss Carrie Wight. Those present were Mrs. Frances Davis, Mrs. Alice Walker, Mrs. Amy Bennett, Mrs. Ethel Vail, Mrs. Daisy Morton, Mrs. Pearl Kilgore, Mrs. L. E. Wight, Mrs. F. W. Wight, Miss Carrie Wight and the honor guest. A pleasant afternoon was spent. Refreshments of sandwiches, birthday cake and tea were served. Mrs. Wight received a great many birthday card greetings.

Willard Wight worked a few days last week for L. E. Davis in the mill at Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. F. I. French were callers at L. E. Wight's Sunday, also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bennett,

Most Pedestrians Invite Disaster, Analysis Shows



That pure carelessness is to be blamed for most of the appalling number of pedestrian deaths in 1938 is the conclusion to be drawn from an analysis released in "Lest We Regret," the ninth annual highway safety booklet published by The Travelers Insurance Company.

Of the total of 13,340 pedestrians killed in 1938, 28.1% or 3,750 met death while thoughtlessly crossing in the middle of the block.

In contrast to the 5.8% or 770 persons killed while crossing at intersections against the signal, and the 15.7% or 2,090 killed while crossing at intersections lacking a signal, only 150 persons, 1.1% of the total, were killed while crossing as they should with the signal.

Mrs. W. R. Spinney, Mrs. Senna Parker, and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ferren.

Miss Vada Hanscom will spend the summer with her father.

Hartley Hanscom was in Rumford Monday.

Other leading causes of pedestrian fatalities, according to the analysis, in the order of their importance were: walking on rural highways, coming from behind parked cars, children playing in the street, men at work in the roadway, 'jaywalking' or crossing diagonally at intersections, getting on and off other vehicles, and hitch-hiking.

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40 YEARS AGO in the NEWS

June 14, 1899

Bicyclists are complaining of the
roads.

The railroad strike is practically
settled. Most of the old hands have
gone back at a raise of 10 cents
per day.

Hon. Samuel D. Philbrook, one of
Bethel's most honored and respect-
ed citizens, who has been sick for
several years, died at his home last
evening at 11 o'clock.

Newry Corner—Harvey Hastings
is at Nova Scotia buying sheep and
lambs for the market.

THEY TELL ME

Well I guess by the signs they
have just put up around the
corporation dump that the village folks
will go back to parking their old
clothes and tin cans along the
beautiful countryside, just like they
did before the rumpus came to a
head a few years ago and "Finger
Points" made the motion that finally
created the official dumping
place for the villagers. Remember
just before then the sides of the
Androscoggin bridge were draped
with surplus articles which the
poor aim of amateur dumpers de-
posited in sight of everybody, and
Alder River bridge was about as
bad only the bridge was smaller.
Why it got so that it was really
interesting sometimes riding out to
see who had just thrown their last
winter's raiment over somebody's
pasture fence, or who was kind of
guiltily sneaking along after heavy-
ing a loaded carton into the bushes.
I don't know who started this.
No dumping move but I bet
there is a good reason. But it
seems too bad that the ones who
have used the place as it should
be used have to suffer along with
the real offenders. Let's hope that
something is done about it now be-
fore matters get as bad as they
were before. Uncle Hiram.

SCHOOL NOTES

Continued from Page One
Blake, Arlene Bubler, Parker Daye,
Carroll Johnson, Herbert Lyon,
Rebecca Philbrick, Guy Swan Jr.,
Irene Wight, Lawrence Young, Ar-
lene Potter.

Not tardy last six weeks: John
Dean, Isabelle Bennett, Harlan
Blake, Marilyn Boyker, John
Brown, Arlene Bubler, Everett Cole,
John Cutler, Blanche Hatstat, Nor-
ma Hunt, Carroll Johnson, Herbert
Lyon, Rebecca Philbrick, Pauline
Stevens, Guy Swan Jr., Eugene Van
Joyce Cole, John Cutler, Blanche
Hatstat, Norma Hunt, Carroll John-
son, Herbert Lyon, Rebecca Phil-
brick, Pauline Stevens, Guy Swan
Jr., Eugene Van, Lynwood Wheeler,
Irene Wight, Evelyn Waugh, Elea-
nor Young, Arlene Potter.

Not absent during the year: Parker
Daye, Herbert Lyon.

Not tardy during the year: John
Dean, Isabelle Bennett, Harlan

WHO GAVE HIM THE SAW?



The SNAPSHOT GUILD

SOFTER SHADOWS



Baby's blanket on the lawn is a fine reflector. Note the soft, pleasing light effect it produces here. Use such a reflector when you can, especially when taking informal portraits.

If we compare a picture of a snow
scene with almost any summer
picture, we observe a marked dif-
ference in the shadows. In the sum-
mer picture, shadows tend to be
strong and black. In the winter pic-
ture, shadows possess beautiful
clearness and transparency, and the
effect tends to be quite pleasing.

The reason for this difference is
that snow on the ground is a fine
reflector, which casts light into all
shadow areas, and brightens them.
In summer, green grass does not
have this same reflecting power, and
therefore, shadows are darker.

However, even in summer we can
brighten the shadows of a subject if
we use some sort of improvised re-
flector. A book or newspaper held in
a person's lap will often serve as
such a reflector, helping illuminate
the face and soften shadows there.

If a subject is placed near a wall of
a white house, and stands so that the
wall reflects light to the shadow side
of his face, a more pleasing picture
may be obtained. The baby's blanket

on the lawn is an excellent reflector,
which softens shadows in the child's
face and clothing.

Soft, transparent shadows are
generally desirable in an informal
portrait, especially if we want a
truthful likeness of our subject.
Open shade—as on the shady side of
a house—often provides a suitable
lighting. The subject in open shade

is illuminated by light reflected from
the sky, instead of direct sunlight.
Naturally, since this light is weaker,
exposure should be increased to
about twice normal. A very short
"time" or "bulb" exposure may be
necessary with a box camera or in-
expensive folding camera.

Form the habit of observing shad-
ows when you take a picture. Be on
guard against broad hat brims that
shade features too much, and be
sure of lighting that is too harsh or
"contrasty" for good effect. Usually
a simple reflecting device will solve
such problems, and help you get a
better picture.

John van Guilder

Thompson, Rena Thompson, How-
ard Waterhouse.

Perfect attendance for the year:
Leland Kimball.

Grade III

Perfect attendance for the last
six weeks: Lorraine Collins, Wil-
lia Croteau, Robert Deegan, David

Potter, Kenneth Merrill, William
O'Brien, Earle Thompson, Lois Van

Den Kerckhoven, Gertrude Tripp.

Robert Deegan has had perfect

attendance for the year.

Grade V

Perfect attendance last six

weeks: Donald Brooks, Pearl Daye.

RIVER BANK PROJECT

—Continued from Page One
continuing refuse dumping, and
setting willows to control erosion,
the benefits to be derived from the
construction of remedial works
either for the protection of the
banks or prevention of flooding of
the land north of the river are very
small and are not commensurate
with the cost of providing the pro-
tection works. Inasmuch as the
waste deposits prevent the growth
of protective vegetation on the river
bank the practice of dumping along
the river tends to aggravate the
erosion conditions.

"As you are doubtless aware, a
flood control report on the Androscoggin
River has been submitted by the District and Division
Engineers in accordance with Con-
gressional authorization and is now
before the Board of Engineers for
Rivers and Harbors for review as
required by law. In this report it
is concluded that flood protection
measures on that stream are not
economically justifiable at this
time.

"There is no outstanding author-
ization available to the Department
which would permit a flood protection
project to be undertaken at
Bethel, and consequently the De-
partment cannot at this time initi-
ate the work requested in the peti-
tion. If, however, the local com-
munity should undertake such a
project, the Department will be
pleased to render all possible as-
sistance within the limit of its legal
authority."

Fannie R. Holt, late of Bethel,
deceased; Will and petition for
probate thereof and the appointment
of William Gould Holt as executor
of the same to act without bond as
expressed in said Will, presented by
William Gould Holt, the executor
therein named.

Silas F. Peaslee, late of Upton,
deceased; Petition for the confirmation
of Ellery C. Park as Trustee
under said Will for the benefit of
Waldo D. Peaslee, be confirmed,
presented by Ellery C. Park.

Charles H. Kimball, late of Paris,
deceased; First account presented
for allowance by Daisie Warren,
executrix.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge
of said Court at Rumford, this
fourth Tuesday of May in the year
of our Lord one thousand nine hun-
dred and thirty-nine.

MABEL MORGAN ALLEN
May 16th, 1939 Bethel, Maine. 24

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives no-
tice that she has been duly appoint-
ed Exec. of the estate of Collins F.
Morgan late of Bethel in the County
of Oxford, deceased, without bond.
All persons having demands against
the estate of said deceased are de-
sired to present the same for settle-
ment, and all indebted thereto are
requested to make payment imme-
diately.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either
of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Rum-
ford in and for the County of Ox-
ford, on the fourth Tuesday of May,
in the year of our Lord one thou-
sand nine hundred and thirty-nine,
from day to day from the fourth
Tuesday of said May. The follow-
ing matters having been presented
for the action thereupon herein-
after indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to
all persons interested, by causing
a copy of this order to be published
three weeks successively in the
Oxford County Citizen a newspaper
published at Bethel, in said County,
that they may appear at a Probate
Court to be held at said Paris, on
the third Tuesday of June, A.
D. 1939, at 10 of the clock in the
forenoon, and be heard thereon if
they see cause.

Hollis L. Abbott, late of Upton,
deceased; Will and petition for
probate thereof and the appoint-
ment of Malvena C. Abbott as ex-
ecutrix of the same to act without
bond as expressed in said Will, presented by
Malvena C. Abbott, the executrix
therein named.

Fannie R. Holt, late of Bethel,
deceased; Will and petition for
probate thereof and the appointment
of William Gould Holt as executor
of the same to act without bond as
expressed in said Will, presented by
William Gould Holt, the executor
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dred and thirty-nine.

24 EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register.

BONNEY—FOSS

Corry Bonney of West Paris and
Miss Shirley Foss of Hebron were
united in marriage Sunday even-
ing at the home of the officiating
minister, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes,
the single ring service being used.

Mrs. Bonney is the daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Foss of He-
bron. Mr. Bonney is the son of Mr.
and Mrs. Owen Bonney of West
Paris. They will reside at West
Sumner.

Recitation, "My Favorite Card,"
Ethel Hutchinson Play, "The Top of the World,"
Eighth grade pupils — Geneva
Lane, Elizabeth Wight, Francis
Vall Jr.

Father Time, Ruel Lefebvre
City lady, Elaine Vall
Country mother, Vada Enman
Farmer, Richard Ball
Business man, Raymond Ball
Awarding Diplomas,

Supt. Carrie Wight
Class Song by Eighth Grade, Ge-
neva Lane, Francis Vall Jr., Eliz-
abeth Wight
Vacation Song, Schools

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PROMISSORY NOTES

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RECORD SHEETS

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THE CITIZEN OFFICE

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Paul Chapman is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Mary Wilson. Daniel Durell of Kittery was at his home here for the week-end. Mrs. Eva Fox went Saturday to Rumford, where she has employment.

Mrs. T. L. Lapham of Rumford visited her son, Leslie Lapham, Sunday.

Miss Barbara Cummings of Hanover is working at Farwell & Wikht's.

Mrs. Ida Wilson of Portland is the guest of Mrs. E. E. Whitney for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bean of Rockland visited Mrs. Gladys Bean and family Sunday.

John Berry, formerly of Bethel, is a patient at the Maine General Hospital, Portland.

Myron Bryant and Earl Davis are enjoying a several days fishing trip at Moosehead Lake.

Miss Hilda Laiimutta of West Paris has employment as waitress at Bethel for the summer.

Raymond Wentzell spent the week-end in West Paris, the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Roxie Inman.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCormic of Medway, Mass., were guests of relatives in town one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Childs left Monday for West Springfield, Mass., where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burnham of Hopedale, Mass., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thurston.

Mrs. Lydia Dickinson of East Corinth is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Eugene Norton, for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Pratt have moved into the newly finished upstairs rent of Harry Jordan on Mechanic Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Preble had as week-end guests his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Preble of Braintree, Mass.

Dale Thurston has finished his school year at Hebron Academy and has returned to his home here for the summer.

John Twaddle was a member of the graduating class of Boston University Monday. He received the degree of Bachelor of Science.

A Central Maine Power Company crew is replacing poles in the village. It is said that 40 poles will be set, replacing 60 of the old ones.

Mrs. Gertrude E. Milliken returned last Saturday evening from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. D. Joy, and family of South Addison, Maine.

Mrs. Donald Preble and son Lee accompanied Mr. Preble to Baltimore, Md., Tuesday where he goes on duty, and will remain there for a week.

With gasoline running low an aviator from Norway, bound for Andover, was forced to land near the cemetery in Grafton last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kiler, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hanscom for several days, left Wednesday to return to their home in Palo Alto, Calif.

Miss Bernice Willard, student nurse at the Long Island College Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending her vacation at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson.

"Our Trip to Augusta" and "Our Trip to Portland," written by members of the eighth grade of the Bethel Grammar School, will be printed in the Citizen next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lapham, Mrs. Harry Hutchinson and Mrs. Wallace Coolidge are in Bath attending the annual encampment of the Sons of Veterans and Auxiliaries.

Miss Mary Tibbets spent the week-end in Portland and Boston. Miss Margaret Tibbets, who is a student at Wheaton College, Norton, Mass., returned home with her Monday night for the summer vacation.

Virginia Lathrop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lathrop of Madison, former residents of this town, was struck by an automobile near her home last Wednesday. She was taken to the Farmington hospital where it was found she suffered a broken leg. She was returned to her home where she is resting comfortably.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Bear River Grange has had good attendance during the last month, also had a special rehearsal for the third and fourth degrees in order to be ready for our deputy, Ellis M. Davis to inspect our work.

At one of our meetings we were pleased to have with us two visitors from Stoneham, Mass., who helped us out on our program. The Maine Craft Guild was described by one of our members, Genie Daly, and a committee appointed to get information and pamphlets regarding same; Minnie Bennett, Susan Wight and Josephine Smith being appointed by the Master.

At our last meeting our charter was draped in memory of Sister Lillian Hopkins of Hanover and St. Petersburg, Florida, who passed away recently. The memorial services were very impressive and were conducted by our Chaplain, Madeline Dudley in memory of Sisters Althea Eames and Lillian Hopkins.

The Master F. I. French appointed Addie Saunders, Minnie Bennett and Carrie French as a committee on Resolutions.

Our next meeting, June 24, will be observed as Children's Night in charge of Addie Saunders, Madeline Dudley and Susan Wight.

Some of our members attended a meeting of Azicoos Grange recently, when State Lecturer Hartley M. Stewart and Ellis M. Davis were present.

THE OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH NOTES

COMING EVENTS: Thursday, June 15th: A Stoneham Circle supper followed by the building committee; graduation in the Lovell Schools. Friday: The Lovell Center Circle Supper. Saturday: Rev. Wilbur Bull and family leave for a month's vacation. Sunday: Services as usual at the regular time.

NEXT WEEK: Tuesday, June 20th: A Graduation Party by the Pilgrim Fellowship group for the graduates of the grammar schools and high schools. All of high school age are invited. The time is 7 o'clock; the place is North Waterford.

Wednesday, the 21st, there will be a Birthday Party held in the East Stoneham Church to raise money for the repairs and redecorations on the Church. There will be prizes for young and old. The Stoneham Church is doing a commendable job. Let's turn out and help them.

Thursday, the 22nd, the Rev. Hilda Ives will be at the Albany Circle Supper. Mrs. Ives, an internationally known worker in the rural church, will be well worth our while to hear.

The following Sunday, June 25th, Mr. Merrill will hold his annual service in Alpany.

LUCETTA B. PIERCE

Mrs. Lucetta B. Pierce, widow of William Pierce of Norway, died Wednesday at the home of her nephew, Frank Bean, in Woodstock.

She was born in Bethel, Oct. 18, 1856, the daughter of Jonas and Lusannah Bartlett.

Survivors include a brother, W. B. Bartlett, of East Bethel, and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at two o'clock from the Baptist Church at Bryant Pond.

Interment will be in Pine Grove Cemetery, Norway.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Dr. Harry M. Wilson was given a party last Thursday evening at his home in honor of his birthday.

Contract was enjoyed during the evening followed by refreshments which included a birthday cake.

Prizes for high score were won by Mrs. Louis Van Den Kerckhoven and Elmer Bennett. Mrs. Earl Davis and Wilbur Myers received the consolation prizes. Those present besides the honor guest and Mrs. Wilson were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Van Den Kerckhoven, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Bryant, Mrs. Viola Lord, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven and Willard Wight.

Mrs. Mae McCrea was in Mechanic Falls Tuesday.

A FINE GIFT FOR SOME ONE

A SUBSCRIPTION
TO THIS NEWSPAPER

TRUTH about ADVERTISING

By CHARLES B. ROTH

THE RESPONSIBILITY OF SUCCESS

WE OFTEN say when we discuss various things we acquire that it isn't the original cost that counts. It is the upkeep. This is particularly true of success.

The fact is that there is a responsibility of success which failure or mediocrity never knows. The man who is successful, who achieves in whatever line he may enter, has an obligation and a responsibility which requires that he continue to do his very best.

Especially is this true of business. To make a brief success of a business isn't hard. To build a lasting success requires close application and a fine sense of the obligation which success implies and demands.

If advertising served no other purpose than to create the obligation of success it would perform a useful social and economic act, for advertising holds up this obligation of success and demands that it be observed constantly.

Whenever a manufacturer or a merchant begins to advertise he sets self-imposed standards on himself. By these standards do others judge him. By these standards do they also classify him.

He has an obligation to live up to every day thenceforward.



Charles Roth

COTTON BLOSSOM SINGERS

HERE NEXT MONTH

The people of Bethel and vicinity will have a rare chance to hear colored people, right from the far South, with their songs and music Wednesday evening, July 26th. The Cotton Blossom Singers come in their own house car from Piney Woods School, Mississippi. They are sponsored by the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church.

GARDEN CLUB

Mrs. Emma Van Den Kerckhoven entertained the Garden Club at her home Wednesday afternoon. Twelve members were present. Plans were completed for the annual flower show, which is to be held Aug. 9.

The hostess gave a very interesting talk on the different varieties of peonies. Mrs. Camilla Bond read a paper prepared by Mrs. W. B. Twaddle on "Iris," which was very helpful. A gift of five dollars was received from Mrs. W. R. Chapman to be used for the club. The next meeting is to be a box lunch at Mrs. Laurence Lord's home on July 12. Any members wishing transportation are to communicate with Mrs. P. S. Sayles.

THE EAST & WEST INSURANCE CO., New Haven, Conn.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1938

Real Estate	\$34,108.75
Mortgage loans	116,750.00
Stocks & bonds	2,923,444.87
Cash in office & bank	297,769.29

Agents balance	75,673.51
Books receivable	2,690.92
Interest & rents	14,706.82

All other assets	12,253.44
Gross assets	\$3,577,477.61

Less items not admitted	234,603.51
Admitted	\$3,342,874.10

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1938

Net unpaid losses	\$65,246.69
Unearned premiums	530,642.81

Contingency reserve	76,483.62
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All other liabilities	55,553.15
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Supplemental reserve	100,000.00
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Cash capital	1,000,000.00
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Surplus over liabilities	1,464,946.83
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Total liabilities & sur-	
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26 plus	\$3,342,874.10
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THE CONNECTICUT INDEMNITY CO., New Haven, Conn.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1938

Stocks & bonds	\$1,093,550.67
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Cash in office & bank	184,209.81
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Agents balance	109,241.31
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Interest & rents	6,500.14
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All other assets	\$55.15
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Gross assets	\$1,393,357.03
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Less items not admitted	62,470.41
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Admitted	\$1,340,886.67
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LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1938

Net unpaid losses	\$279,657.77
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Unearned premiums	271,595.81
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All other liabilities	63,297.98
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Cash Capital	250,000.00
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Surplus over liabilities	471,335.11
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Total liabilities & sur-	
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Milton

Mary and Martha Club of Rumford spent Tuesday evening with Miss Clara Jackson and Miss Florence Burnham.

Everett Davis attended a grange meeting at Livermore Saturday evening.

Mrs. Rebecca Given of Rumford Corner spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. William Dyer.

Sunday guests at Miss Clara Jackson's were Mrs. Nellie Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson and two children of Auburn, Miss Vivian Brown and mother, Mrs. Brown of Rumford.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Clifford of Rumford visited with Mrs. Addie Lapham Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield Packard and family of Waterville were callers at Harry Billings' Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis McGuire and two children of West Peru called on Mr. and Mrs. Alex Miller Sunday.

Miss Mary Elliott and George Murphy of Rumford and Mrs. Ella Bowker and James Russell visited with Mrs. Gertrude Crockett and Orrin Bowker at Augusta Sunday.

Sunday callers at Charles Poland's were Mrs. Eva Poland of Rumford Point and Harry Poland of Woodstock.

Mrs. Ethel Crockett of Bethel and Mrs. Eva Clifford of Rumford called on Mrs. Harry Billings Saturday.

Katherine Giroux and Irving Cushman of North Woodstock spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Miller.

Mrs. Eva Cole of Berlin and Eddie Seames of Oxford were callers at Charles Cona's Saturday evening.

West Paris**Perkins Valley, Woodstock**

Carl Cash is driving truck for Charles Silver.

Wesley Poland is spending a few weeks with his brother, Leon Poland, and family.

Mrs. Maude Benson is home for a few days.

Earl Swinton spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swinton.

Mrs. Jennie Cox, Mrs. Flora Swinton and Mrs. Arville Silver went on a picnic at Tripp Lake recently.

Mr. Henry Morgan spent a day with her daughter Betty this week.

Eli Benson and daughter Inez of Saco spent a week with Mrs. Arville Silver recently.

Joseph Bryant has been very sick but is better at this writing.

BRYANT POND

There was a very large attendance at the graduation exercises which were held at the Gymnasium Tuesday evening, June 6. There were twelve in the class this year: Otis Evans, Herschel Abbott, Murry Cummings, Barbara Cole, Carolyn Dunham, Shirley Brown, Mary Davis, Evelyn Seames, Margaret Coolidge, Lucy Curtis, Thelma MacKillop and Myrtle Allen.

A surprise birthday party was given to Rev. James MacKillop Wednesday evening, June 7. There were three birthday cakes, ice cream, sausages and candy.

Rev. MacKillop received several nice gifts. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Porter Swan and children, Arlene and Kenneth, Mrs. Inez Whitman, Edith and Clara Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton, Mrs. Gertrude Redman and son Wayne, Mrs. Nellie Swett, Mrs. Mildred Evans, Otis and Bernice Evans, Margaret Howe, Beatrice Hathaway, Velma Cummings, Rev. and Mrs. James MacKillop, Thelma and Howard MacKillop and Miss Dorothy Dunbar.

Mrs. Verna Swan and children, Arlene and Kenneth, went to Oakland Friday. Her sister, Mrs. Clifford.

ford Taylor, and children, Leatrice, Barbara and Gilbert, returned home with them for a visit with relatives.

Postmaster Lee M. Rowe and wife went to Montreal a few days last week to visit Mrs. Rowe's parents. They returned home Sunday night, accompanied by her brother, Paul Charbonneau, who will remain for a few days visit.

Miss Marjorie Fuller is staying with her sister, Mrs. Maxine Ferren since she returned from Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Daniel Bryant was taken to the Rumford Community Hospital last week for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farnum and Charlie DeShon were in Rumford Sunday afternoon to see Mrs. Bryant and found her on the gain.

Miss Myrtle Bacon, Ralph Bacon and friends from Boston were in town over the week-end.

Mrs. Herbert Berrymont is gaining since her return from the Rumford Community Hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. James MacKillop daughter Thelma, and Velma Cummings have gone to Princeton for a few days.

Rev. Mr. MacKillop and assistant

pastor, Miss Dorothy Dunbar, were in Fayette Thursday night.

The Ladies' Degree Team of Franklin Grange went to Livermore Saturday night to confer the third and fourth degrees.

Robert Whitman is gaining from his illness. He is at the home of his sister, Mrs. Wallace Whitman.

Songo Pond

Stanley Clough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Clough, is getting along well after an operation for hernia at the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston.

The South Bethel School children had a picnic at Songo Lake Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saunders with Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle were in Rumford on business Saturday evening.

Miss Helen Kimball and Mrs. Lena Kimball were in Norway Sunday evening.

Mrs. Zenias Mills called on Mrs. Winnie Emery Monday evening.

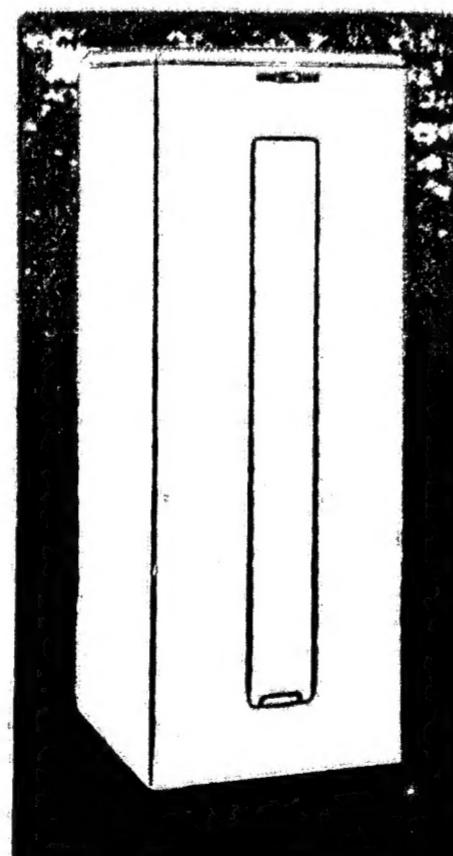
Ray Mills was a caller at Hollis Grindle's Monday evening.

Mrs. Mabel Clough of South Paris was the guest of her son, Roger Clough, Sunday, and went to Lewiston to see her grandson in the hospital.

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Cooling Milk Electrically Is Convenient, Sure and Cheap



An electric milk cooler pays large dividends in savings and profits.

By IRA MILLER
Rural Electrification Bureau

DESPITE the fact that milk is one of the most perishable of products, there are many farmers who handle it as though it were among the most stable. Not only do they make little or no effort to keep their hands and utensils thoroughly clean but also they are extremely careless about the condition of their cows and barns. Milk obtained under such conditions is bound to be highly contaminated with bacteria and foreign flavors. These will greatly reduce the value of the milk and, if serious enough, lead to its rejection.

But even when every possible sanitary precaution is observed—as now is required by law in many states—milk still cannot retain its purity and freshness unless it is cooled to 50° or less within 1½ hours after it is drawn. If this is not done, the growth and multiplication of bacteria, unavoidably present, will be so great and so rapid as to preclude any possibility of obtaining premium prices for top quality.

As it is only in exceptional cases that milk can be cooled below 60° with water alone, it is obvious that the old-time milk house—located over spring or well—cannot maintain milk in prime condition. The only other alternative is artificial refrigeration.

eration and, in most instances, the choice lies between ice and electricity. Although ice will produce and hold (if carefully watched) the desired temperature, it is difficult to handle and requires much hard work—especially if one harvests his own ice. If he does not, there is the problem and expense of obtaining a sufficient and regular supply. In addition, numerous studies have shown that, if the farmer charges for all labor involved, the cost of cooling with ice is from 3 to 4 cents higher for each 100 pounds of milk than it is with a modern electric cooler.

This device—improved, refined and reduced in price in recent years—is the ideal means of preserving milk at its maximum quality. It is quicker and more convenient than ice, automatically maintains a uniformly low temperature within narrow limits, requires a minimum of labor and attention, yields a higher-grade product and is cheaper when all costs are considered and with electricity at 4 cents or less per kilowatt-hour. Including interest, depreciation and repairs, and with current at the three-cent rate, the total cost of an electric cooler will average less than 12 cents per 100 pounds of milk.

Information and prices on the different types and sizes of electric milk coolers can be obtained by writing to the several manufacturers or to your state college or university.

South Albany

Henry Durgin has been working for Robert Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kimball and Lilla Stearns attended Pomona Grange at Otisfield recently.

Olive Little worked for Mrs. Harry Spring Monday.

Rev. W. I. Bull preached at Albany Church Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Hill spent a few hours at home Sunday.

Sunday callers at Roy Wardwell's were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns and daughters and Lilla Stearns and Harold Canwell.

A large crowd attended the Circle on Thursday evening. There will be another on Thursday evening, June 22. Mrs. Hilda Ives will be the speaker.

The Sunday School opened at Albany Sunday. Mrs. Edna Spring is the leader.

Edith Durgin and son Hugh were dinner guests at Roy Wardwell's Thursday.

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"MICKY" AND HIS GANG



'Cat Out of the Bag'

Many of the phrases we use in popular speech are similar in meaning and in origin. For instance, "letting the cat out of the bag" and "buying a pig in a poke" both came from the same source, though they have different meanings, says Pearson's London Weekly. To let the cat out of the bag is to disclose or give away some secret; to buy a pig in a poke is to clinch a presumed bargain without taking the necessary steps to make sure that the transaction is all it is claimed to be. Long, long ago, unscrupulous persons would take a cat tied up in a bag (or poke) to market and there try to sell it, saying that the bag contained a pig. Wise purchasers, however, would take the precaution of looking inside to verify the fact, an act that often "let the cat out of the bag." Those not so wise—well, they "bought a pig in a poke."

Egyptian Tombs of Notables

King Chephren, builder of the Second Pyramid of Giza, lived in 265 B. C. He was the son of Cheops, who built the Great Pyramid, and the pyramid he built is almost as large as that of his father. The tomb of his wife, Ka-Ousert, has been discovered, as also the tomb of the superintendent of his palace, Khort-Maat, who is represented by a statue whose body is carved from the rock but whose head is made of white Turah limestone and fitted on to the shoulders. The tomb of Chephren's "Purification Superintendent" was also found, as well as that of his secretary, Nofor-Hotep, and also the tomb of Ka-Hor-ist-of, the "man who purified the king."

Where Quicksilver Comes From
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MISCELLANEOUS

TUTORING in Language, French my specialty. **LAWRENCE D. KIMBALL**, R. F. D. No. 1, Bethel, (Until June 20, at 138 Nichols Street, Lewiston.) 24p

We specialize in bringing to your home by mail nationally advertised articles for personal wear. Send for our folders. **RATINER CONSUMER SERVICE**, 754 South 11th St., Newark, N. J. 25p

Firearms, Ammunition, and Trappers' Supplies, bought, sold, and exchanged by **H. I. BEAN**, Bethel, Maine, dealer in Raw Furs, Deer Skins, Hides and Pelts. 24t

ENGINEER UNHARMED WHEN MILL ENGINE EXPLODES

Gerald Robinson, engineer at the E. L. Tebbets Spool Company plant at Locke Mills, narrowly escaped injury on Wednesday of last week when a broken crosshead on an engine caused the cylinder head to burst. Mr. Robinson had finished oiling the engine as was walking through the door when the blast occurred. The crankcase and back of the steam chest were shattered. Repairs held up mill operations until Monday morning.

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BETHEL VALUATION-ASSESSMENT STATISTICS

	1937	1938	1939			
Real Estate, resident,	\$960,910	\$959,060	\$936,855			
Non-resident,	156,595	153,690	165,610			
Total,	\$1,117,505	\$1,112,750	\$1,102,465			
Personal Est., resident,	\$171,447	\$166,998	\$154,019			
Non-resident,	20,075	22,555	15,875			
Total,	\$191,522	\$189,553	\$169,894			
Grand Total,	\$1,309,027	\$1,302,303	\$1,272,359			
Compared prev. year, +\$11,217	-\$6,724	-\$29,944				
Rate of Taxation,	.05	.0465	.046			
Number of polls taxed,	592	599	619			
Not taxed,	99	103	99			
Livestock taxed No.	Val.	No.	Val.			
Horses,	194	\$19,040	170	\$17,005	155	\$13,755
Colts,	3	250	1	100	0	0
Cows,	420	19,975	349	15,955	353	16,450
Oxen,	16	1,050	20	1,315	18	1,280
3 yrs. old,	82	4,380	98	4,590	80	3,905
2 yrs. old,	135	5,170	136	4,835	124	4,655
Poultry,	847	847	888	1,199	1,199	
Total,		\$50,712		\$44,688		\$41,224
Livestock not taxed:						
Yearlings,	212	\$3,180	180	\$3,600	166	\$3,320
Sheep,	78	380	64	320	98	490
Swine,	142	1,420	116	1,740	124	1,860
Poultry,	2,885	2,885	2,319	2,319	2,215	
Total,		\$7,875		\$7,979		\$7,885
Total Assessment,	\$69,344.19		\$64,060.39		\$61,749.91	
State Tax,	\$10,931.62		\$10,931.62		\$10,119.86	
County Tax,	4,912.79		4,912.79		4,464.05	

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, June 18th

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister 11.00 a. m. Children's Day Service. There will be no Sunday School session; the children will assemble on the Chapel at 10.30. The Primary Department of the School will present the worship program. The Sacrament of Baptism will be administered. Parents and friends are especially invited.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. M. A. Gordon, Pastor 9.45 Church School.

11.00 Sunday Morning Worship.

Singing by girls' junior Sunday School Class. Subject of sermon, "Life of Father."

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